

Setophaga petechia (Yellow Warbler)

Priority 3 Species of Greatest Conservation Need (SGCN)

Class: Aves (Birds)

Order: Passeriformes (Perching Birds)

Family: Parulidae (Warblers)

General comments:

20 yr and 10 yr declines alone meet criteria for Threatened so qualifies for SC. Far too many individuals and occurrences to list above SC

Species Conservation Range Maps for Yellow Warbler:

Town Map: [Setophaga petechia Towns.pdf](#)

Subwatershed Map: [Setophaga petechia HUC12.pdf](#)

SGCN Priority Ranking - Designation Criteria:

Risk of Extirpation: NA

State Special Concern or NMFS Species of Concern:

Setophaga petechia is listed as a species of Special Concern in Maine.

Recent Significant Declines: NA

Regional Endemic: NA

High Regional Conservation Priority: NA

High Climate Change Vulnerability: NA

Understudied rare taxa: NA

Historical: NA

Culturally Significant: NA

Habitats Assigned to Yellow Warbler:

Formation Name	Developed
Macrogroup Name	Urban-Suburban Built
Formation Name	Freshwater Marsh
Macrogroup Name	Wet Meadow-Shrub Marsh
Formation Name	Grassland & Shrubland
Macrogroup Name	Lake & River Shore
Macrogroup Name	Outcrop & Summit Scrub
Macrogroup Name	Ruderal Shrubland & Grassland
Formation Name	Northeastern Upland Forest
Macrogroup Name	Northern Hardwood & Conifer
Macrogroup Name	Plantation and Ruderal Forest
Formation Name	Northeastern Wetland Forest
Macrogroup Name	Northeastern Floodplain Forest
Macrogroup Name	Northern Swamp

Stressors Assigned to Yellow Warbler:

No Stressors Currently Assigned to Yellow Warbler or other Priority 3 SGCN.

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Species Level Conservation Actions Assigned to Yellow Warbler:

No Species Specific Conservation Actions Currently Assigned to Yellow Warbler or other Priority 3 SGCN.

Guild Level Conservation Actions:

This Species is currently not attributed to a guild.

Broad Taxonomic Group Conservation Actions:

Relevant conservation actions for this species are assigned within broader taxonomic groups in Maine's 2015 Wildlife Action Plan: Element 4, Table 4-1.

Habitat Based Conservation Actions:

Additional conservation actions that may benefit habitat(s) associated with this species can be found in Maine's 2015 Wildlife Action Plan: Element 4, Table 4-15. Click on the Habitat Grouping of interest to launch a habitat based report summarizing relevant conservation actions and associated SGCN.

The Wildlife Action Plan was developed through a lengthy participatory process with state agencies, targeted conservation partners, and the general public. The Plan is non-regulatory. The species, stressors, and voluntary conservation actions identified in the Plan complement, but do not replace, existing work programs and priorities by state agencies and partners.